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Wherewith to feed the nations of  
the earth.  
Yet they be few who ken his hon-  
est worth.

And some do deem him narrow; but  
of stream,  
Forest and field, his lore they little  
dream;  
For Nature teaches him her mystic  
ways  
Throughout each changing season's  
passing days.  
Far from gilded haunts that tempt  
men's souls,  
His burnished share the fallow fur-  
row rolls  
Along the fertile field; and later,  
there  
The merry harvest song lilts on the  
air.

Content to labor in his humble place  
Content to fill his small allotted  
space,  
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row afternoon is especially for the  
ladies and every lady in Monroe  
City is urged to be present to hear  
Burns and McDonnell explain the  
proposed system of waterworks.  
This meeting is free to all.

Mrs. J. F. Baxter, of Palmyra  
passed through here the latter part  
of last week enroute home. She  
had been to Hassard to see Mrs. Pat  
Cochlin who was injured about two  
weeks ago. She was pumping  
water from an outside cellar and  
slipped and fell. As Mrs. Cochlin  
is almost eighty years old the fall  
was a serious matter. She suffered  
intensely for several days but her  
friends will be glad to learn she is  
improving.

Thousands of dollars will be  
spend in the construction of water  
works and sewerage among the men  
for labor, teamsters, etc., and every  
business in Monroe City will derive  
a benefit.

Mrs. W. V. Huebsch visited in  
Hunnewell the latter part of last  
week.

For Sale—Barred Rock Ringlet  
Eggs—3 choice pens \$1.15 per 15.  
Also utility eggs \$1.00 per 15—  
\$5.00 per 100.—Mrs. Mabel Morse  
Bell Phone.

Miss Anna Donovan and Mrs. G.  
A. Dye visited the latter's brother,  
W. H. Drescher in Quincy.

Scratch the word "No" and be  
sure that your ballots read "Yes."

Mrs. Albert Bixler and Miss Ellen  
Bixler of Ely were here shopping  
Thursday.

Mrs. L. D. Green, who has been  
visiting her father, W. R. Smith, re-  
turned to Quincy Friday.

Ladies don't fail to see the  
Domestic Vacuum Cleaners at Mrs.  
J. H. Grady's. There are three  
sizes and you can have your choice  
Mrs. George Hagan has been the  
guest of relatives at Stoutsville.

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Miss Ella Morris went to Quincy  
Thursday.

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